NEGROES TRY RITUALISM

High Mass at the St. Matthews Protestant Episcopal Church, Colored, in Detroit.

RECTOR CALLED "FATHER"

Close Imitation of Roman Catholic Service-Lights and Crosses on the Altar.

DETROIT, MICH., May 28.-St. Matthaw's Protestant Episcopal Church. whose congregation are negroes, is remarkable for the extent to which ritualistic practices have been carried by its rector, the Rey, J. B. Massiah-Father Massiah, as he is called by his parish-

The electric lighted star hanging in the place of the usual sanctuary lamp was placed there at Christmas to typify the Btar of Bethlehem. There is no "reserwation," although there is a tabernacle on the altar, which may some day be used for that purpose.

There had been an early communion at 5:30 A. M.—a low celebration such as Ro-man Catholics have at that hour. The Order for Morning Prayer is absolutely

gran Catholies have at that hour. The Order for Morning Prayer is absolutely abolished in this church as a Sunday gervice, and is never used except by a handful of people in the basement of the church on Thursday morning.

The early morning celebration is te all intents and purposes an imitation of a Roman Catholic low mass, and is as nearly like it as it may be in English, using the Anglican communion service. The celebration, which begins at 11 o'clock, is an imitation of a Roman Catholic high mass. It cannot be called a solemin mass, because the element of the burning incense is lacking, but otherwise the imitation is essentially complete. The short service before the mass known as the "Asperges" is not used. The clery enter the church with the choir, headed by a crucifier in a red cassock and lace cotta. The celebrant. Father Massiah, wears a plain alb, with girdle, embroidered stole, maniple, etc. The server wears only a plain alb with girdle. On arriving at the chancel, the colebrant assumes a chasuble and then goes immediately to the altar.

The whole service is choral, and finely rendered. Father Massiah joining in an impressive manner, with a full, musical voice. The choir is well trained, and the greedered, Father Massiah joining in an impressive manner, with a full, musical voice. The choir is well trained, and the service is impressive and pleasing.

The Nicene Creed is sung in good style; and not only do the congregation bow when the name of Jesus is pronounced, but they also bow at the "Incarnatus" ("and was made man") and at the end when saying "I believe in the Mice to come," they cross themselves.

The rubric before the general confession reads: "Then shall this general confession be made by the priest, and all those who are minded to receive the holy communion." But Father Massiah has aught his congregation to repeat this confession aloud without him. He takes no audible part in it.

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Steele and family, Miss Louise Stockett. Miss Edith Duer and Miss Elsie Ford, who have been occupying the Tait cottage for several weeks, returned Monday to their homes in Baltimore. Mrs. George W. Gordon, who has been occupying her cottage for two months, returned to Norfolk on Friday, but will move into the little cottage on the golf A DOG THAT EATS GOLD COIN

Verdict of Death Declared and Post-Mortem to Fol-

low.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
ROXBURY, VA.. May 28.—Monday while many were angling for specimens of the finny thite on the cool, shady banks of the historic Chickahominy, fathers and mothers, sisters and brothers, beauxs and belles, with sunny smiles and gay laughter and all the surroundings of an ideal day, the bright sun is obscured by a dark cloud when least expected.

A crowd of happy young people were at lunch, and nearby was a lean cur down picking up the scraps that were thrown on the ground.

A gay young man, Mr. Henry Williams, from Richmond, was displaying some gold coin. He had a \$20 gold plece that he was tossing in the air, showing the crowd some slight of hand tricks. Once he tossed it and he falled to catch this coin when it fell. No sooner had it struck the ground than the dog had it, thinking perhaps it was a plece of corned beef. It was swallowed immediately, and the dog started in a run for his home, followed by the frantle young man and some of his friends, bent on recovering the lost treasure, but the dog was an easy winner, and was soon out of sight, A party has been hunting ever since for the dog, but up to this writing no tidings of the dog or coin have been heard.

Senience has been passed, and death is the verdict and a post mortem examination will follow. No dog can live in this neighborhood with a \$20 gold plece in its stomach, while the dog's value is only 30 cents.

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ourse later on.
Miss Lutie Blow will open her cottage,
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are spending some time at

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LEXINGTON. VA., May 28.—Dr. C.

Graham Dold has returned home from a weeks' visit to friends in Baltimore.

Major Adolph Elhart, of Oak Dale, has returned to his home from a visit of several days to friends in Staunton.

Dr., Jas. Lewis Howe, of Washington and Lee University, will occupy the pulpit of Lexington Baptist Church Sunday morning in the absence of the pastor, Dr. Charles Manly, who is in Cliffon Forge attending the Augusta Sunday, school convention.

Dr. James A. Quarles, who was re-

Behool convention.

Dr. James A. Quarles, who was reported ill in Southwest Virginis, has returned home and is actively engaged with his duties at Washington and Lee University, and recovered his accustomed health and vigor.

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health and vigor.

Rev. Dr. L. R. Turnbull will fill the pulpit of the \(\).exington Presbyterian Church to-morrow morning.

James B. Heck, of Richmond, is the guest of James E. Heck.

Mrs. George R. Ragen, of Salem is the test of Mrs. J. Olin Knott at the Methodist parsonage.

Rev. Dr. Wilson, of Lynchburg, father of Rev. Dr. G. A. Wilson, of New Providence Church, was a visitor in Lexington during the past week.

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Mrs. Warren Boush, of Florida, is visiting Mrs. W. E. Carr.

ALL DRUGGISTS spent part of this week at Waverly, on

SOCIETY IN STAUNTON

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) STAUNTON, VA., May 28 - Elaborate preparations are being made by the Auguata Memorial Association to celebrate Confederate Memorial Day here on June 9th. There is a movement on foot to have

Confederate Memorial Day here on June 9th. There is a movement on foot to have a military turn-out on that day, and it is thought that the Clifton Forge, Charlottesville and Luray companies will be invited to take part, which, with the two Staunton companies, ought to make a brilliant showing.

The closing exercises of the Augusta Military Academy, of Fort Defiance, Augusta county, will take place on May 30th to June 1st. As usual a grand hall will be given in the Academy Hall on May 31st. The dress parade and drill will be held on June 1st.

Rev. Dr. W. N. Scott, of the Second Presbyterian Church, and his two daughters, Misses Nannie and Agnes, left Thursday evening for Philadelphia, from whence they will sail for Liverpool to spend over two months abroad.

Mrs. G. W. Nelms and Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Benson and children returned Tuesday to Newport News, where they will make their future home. While here Mrs. Nelms has been unusually active in the Daughters of the Confederacy, and also took much interest in Stonewall Jackson Camp. There were many friends at the train to give Mrs. Noims good-bye, and also a committee of the camp was present, composed of Commander S. F. Pilson, Messrs. S. D. Timberlake, T. A. Pace, William Wholey and J. N. McFarland. This committee presented Mrs. Neims with a handsome basket of flowers tied with Confederate colors.

The Ladles' Ald Society of the Second

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The Ladies' Ald Society of the Second Presbyterian Church he'm a pink tea at the residence of Mrs. T. C. Morton on Vine Street this week.

Miss Myrtle Wolfe, of Richmond, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. P. Ast.

William A. Bowles went to Richmond Thursday, where he will attend the meeting of the State Board of Education, Mr. Lesile Jenkins, of Richmond, was in the city this week.

Mt. Elliott Springs, formerly known as Varlety Springs, and a very popular summer resort sixteen miles west of Staunton, on a prominent knoll of a spur of the Alleghanies, will open for business on June 4th.

The following have been elected delegates from the Baptiat Sunday School Convention held at Clifton Forge, beginning Thursday, the 26th, and lasting until the fist: Rev. M. L. Wood, Professor C. L. Wilson, Messrs. W. D. Hoge, W. D. Sullivan, Thomas Stafford, E. H. Newham, Curry Woods and Mrs. H. M. Smith and Miss Alma Newham.

FREDERICKSBURG. VA.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
FREDERICKSBURG, VA., May 28.—
Interest is centering in the commencement exercises of Fredericksburg College, which will begin early in June. There will be a number of graduates. The programme will extend through several days and a number of visitors will be present. Miss Helen Tallaferro, of Richmond county, is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. J. P. Rowe, in this city.
Miss Kate Newelt Dogsett and her grandmother, Mrs. V. S. F. Dogsett, are sojourning at Chase City.
Miss Fannie Bradbury, of Orange, was the guest of Miss Fannie Beale this week.
Miss Mattie Franklin is visiting rela-

week.

Miss Mattie Franklin is visiting relatives in Lancaster, Pa.

Mrs. Wm. Tibbey, who spent some time with her relatives, Mr. A. B. Bowering and family, has returned to her home in Patterson, N. J.

Mrs. Virginia A. Bradshaw and her daughter, Miss Mary Bradshaw, of Washington, spent several days here this week.



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INDUSTRIES OF THE NORTHERN NECK

Gum Logs Now Bring Much Money Into the Section. Trucking on Increase.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) HEATHSVILLE, VA., May 28.-The sawing and preparing for market of gum logs has in the last two years become a business in the Northern Neck. Thoubusiness in the Northern Neck. Thousands of dollars are brought into this section each year by means of this industry.
Five years ago the gum tree was regarded by land owners as a worthless and
troublesome tree, fit only for fire wood,
and even for that purpose had to be
carefully seasoned. The timber men of
this section have been recently securing
large contracts for this kind of timber,
and teamsters along the Potomac and
Rappahannock Rivers are at present,
busy hauling the wood to the river
shores.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
(GLOUCESTER, C. H., VA., May 28.—
A carrier pigeon with the letters "N. H."
and Nos. 21% on a silver band around its
leg, winged its way into the house of Mr.
F. B. Jones at Gloucester C. H., a few
days ago, and is the subject of much interest to the children of the town.
Mrs. W. N. S. Sanders. of New York,
is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Sanders. of Oak Point.
Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler, of Castleton-onthe-Hudson, who has been visiting Mr.
and Mrs. Sanders, left on Tuesday.
Miss Annie P. Vandergrift has returned
from a visit to Norfolk.
Mrs. Clinion Graham, of New York,
is at Sherwood, on the Ware River.
Mrs. Burr Noland has returned from a
visit to New York.
Mesdames H. W. Withers and Richard
Tailaferro, Misses Nora Tailaferro, Margaret Tabh and Mary Page Lee and
Messrs, H. W. Withers, R. P. Tailaferro,
Judge I. L. Tailaferro and Walter Sanders attended the unveiling of the monunient to Burgesses on Thursday in Williamsburg.
Mrs. Clay, of Baltimore, is at New

Clay, of Bultimore, is at New

Mrs. Clay, of Ballimore, the Mrs. Clay, of Ballimore, the Mrs. Ashby Jones have returned from Florida and are entertaining a large house party at their hand-some home "Ditchley," on the North Balling who has been

Miss Margaret Maupin, who has been visiting her cousin. Miss Leah Talia-ferro, has returned to Baltimore.

Miss Fannie Boyden, of Albemarie, was a guest at the rectory last week.

Mrs Warren Boush, of Florida, is visiting Mrs W. E. Carr.

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the North River, with his daughter, Mrs. Snowden Hopkins.
Mr. C. E. Cary has returned from a meeting of the Munford Bank directors at Cape Charles.
Mr. James Mendik has returned from a business trip.
Rev. George Wray, of Norfolk, spent part of the week with his brother, the Rev. T. W. Wray.
Mrs. Martha James has returned from a visit to Richmond and Newport News.
Mr. Doswell Clopion spent part of the week in Gloucester.
Mrs. Thomas Dixon left on Wedneaday for a visit to Richmond.
Mr. A. A. Blow paid a flying visit to his home, Belleville, on the North River, Mrs. Georgia Seawell-Perrin is in Baltimore with her aunt, Mrs. Baldwin.

SOUTH BOSTON.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) SOUTH BOSTON, VA., May 28.--The doors of the hospitable home of Misses Virginia and Leila Wright were thrown open to a large number of their friends last Friday evening, and from 9 until 11 o'clock games of various kinds were thor-oughly enjoyed. Those present were: Misses Heien Easley, Mamie Fry, Laura Slebbins, Elizabeth Ingram, Mamie Eas-ley, Lucile Simmonds, Helen Richardson, Imogen Watkins, Rose Watkins, Owen, Mesdames W. M. Nichols, Owen, Mesdames W. M. Nichols, I. C. Green, A. H. Vaughan, G. J. Hunt, Jas. Lipscomb, Jr., Ellien Rogers, of Georgetown, Ky.; Messrs, L. E. Johnston, Henry Watkins, Moseley Bendall, Jas. Stébbins, Jr., Tyree Wright, Drs. G. A. Stover, E. W. Shackleford, D. K. Davis.

One of the most enjoyable socials of the season was given by Mrs. James Lipscomb, Jr., in the parlors of the Hotel Garland last Tuesday afternoon, in honor of her mother. Mrs. Eleanor Rogers, of Georgetown, Ky., who is her guest. Elegant refreshments were served.

Those present were: Mesdames H. S. Belt. Henry Earley, A. H. Vaughan, C.

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